GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

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Solar Energy operated Trains
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways proposes to introduce solar energy operated trains in the country;

(b) if so, whether the Railways has signed any MoU with any other private sector company for the project;

(c) if so, the details along with the salient features thereof;

(d) the funds earmarked for the purpose; and

(e) whether the Railways has conducted any survey to explore the possibility of operating short distance trains through solar energy in the country including Bihar?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS

(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) No, Madam.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.
(e) No, Madam.
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